

## CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.6(d)

I hereby certify that this correspondence pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.6(d), are being sent via facsimile to 703-872-9306 addressed to Examiner Cristina O. Sherr on:

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND  
TRADEMARK OFFICEPATENT

In re application of:	Peevey	Docket No.:	32277.0100
Serial No.:	09/206,782	Group Art Unit:	3621
Filed:	December 7, 1998	Examiner:	Sherr, C.
Title:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR METERING ELECTRICITY USAGE AND ELECTRONICALLY PROVIDING INFORMATION ASSOCIATED THEREWITH		Confirmation No.: 5956

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed herewith is the Response to Office Action dated January 20, 2004.

Small Entity Status

Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.

## FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED

Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Additional Fee
Total Effective Claims	6 minus 22	= 0 x \$ 18.00 =	0.00
Independent Claims	2 minus 5	= 0 x \$ 86.00 =	\$0.00
If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this 08/30/2004 SCALLING (App 09/206,782 (145075788 application))			\$290.00 +
			N/A
01 FC:2253	475.00 DA	Subtotal:	0.00

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**Fee Calculation: Request for Extension of Time**  
**pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Response filed within first month after due date - add	\$ 110.00	N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Response filed within second month after due date - add	\$420.00	N/A
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Response filed within third month after due date - add	\$950.00	\$950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Response filed within fourth month after due date - add	\$1480.00	N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Response filed within fifth month after due date - add	\$2010.00	N/A
	<b>SUBTOTAL:</b>	<b>\$950.00</b>
		<b><u>475.00</u></b>

Discount for "small entity" status, enter half (1/2)  
 of the second subtotal and subtract.

**TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE** **\$475.00**

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2814 in the amount of **\$475.00**.

A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Snell & Wilmer Check # \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

No additional fee is required.

This statement does NOT authorize charge of the issue fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.18 (deficiency only) now or hereafter relative to this Application and the resulting Official document under 37 C.F.R. §1.20, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-2814 for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 7/20/04

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